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Senate Chamber

President Pro Tempore Geddes called the Senate to order at 9:30 a.m.

Roll call showed all members present except Senator Schroeder, absent and formally excused by the Chair; and Senators Cameron, Schroeder, and Stegner, absent and excused.

Prayer was offered by Chaplain Goebel.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Shoni Pegram, Page.

The Senate advanced to the Third Order of Business.

Reading and Correction of the Journal

Senators Cameron and Stegner were recorded present at this order of business.

The JUDICIARY AND RULES Committee reports that the Senate Journal of the proceedings of March 13, 2007, was read and approved as corrected.

DARRINGTON, Chairman

There being no objection, the report was adopted and ordered filed in the office of the Secretary of the Senate.

On request by Senator Davis, granted by unanimous consent, the Senate advanced to the Sixth Order of Business.

Reports of Standing Committees

Senator Schroeder was recorded present at this order of business.

March 14, 2007

The JUDICIARY AND RULES Committee reports that S 1221, S 1222, S 1223, S 1224, S 1225, S 1226, S 1227, and SCR 120 have been correctly printed.

DARRINGTON, Chairman

S 1221, S 1222, S 1223, S 1224, S 1225, S 1226, and S 1227 were referred to the Finance Committee.

SCR 120 was referred to the Tenth Order of Business, Motions and Resolutions, and ordered held at the Secretary's desk for one legislative day.

March 13, 2007

The JUDICIARY AND RULES Committee reports that S 1019, S 1030, as amended, S 1053, S 1064, S 1081, S 1089, as amended, S 1091, S 1092, S 1095, S 1096, S 1098, S 1105, S 1109, S 1118, S 1120, S 1130, S 1133, S 1148, S 1150, S 1151, S 1160, S 1164, SCR 114, and SJM 103 have been correctly enrolled.

DARRINGTON, Chairman

The President Pro Tempore signed Enrolled S 1019, S 1030, as amended, S 1053, S 1064, S 1081, S 1089, as amended, S 1091, S 1092, S 1095, S 1096, S 1098, S 1105, S 1109, S 1118, S 1120, S 1130, S 1133, S 1148, S 1150, S 1151, S 1160, S 1164, SCR 114, and SJM 103, and ordered them transmitted to the House for the signature of the Speaker.

March 13, 2007

The JUDICIARY AND RULES Committee reports that S 1016, as amended in the House, S 1115, as amended, and S 1181, as amended, have been correctly engrossed.

DARRINGTON, Chairman

S 1016, as amended in the House, and S 1181, as amended, were filed for first reading.

S 1115, as amended, the enacting clause having been stricken, was filed in the office of the Secretary of the Senate.

March 13, 2007

The JUDICIARY AND RULES Committee reports that Senate amendments to **H 81**, **H 56**, **S 1115**, **S 1181**, **H 28**, and **H 171** have been correctly printed.

DARRINGTON, Chairman

The report was ordered filed in the office of the Secretary of the Senate.

March 13, 2007

The FINANCE Committee reports out H 282, H 283, H 284, H 285, H 286, H 287, H 288, and H 289 with the recommendation that they do pass.

CAMERON, Chairman

H 282, H 283, H 284, H 285, H 286, H 287, H 288, and H 289 were filed for second reading.

March 13, 2007

The TRANSPORTATION Committee reports out S 1138, S 1180, and H 99, as amended, with the recommendation that they do pass.

MCGEE, Chairman

S 1138, S 1180, and H 99, as amended, were filed for second reading.

March 13, 2007

The COMMERCE AND HUMAN RESOURCES Committee reports out **H 105**, as amended, **H 107**, **H 109**, and **S 1203** with the recommendation that they do pass.

ANDREASON, Chairman

 $H\ 105,$ as amended, $H\ 107, H\ 109,$ and $S\ 1203$ were filed for second reading.

March 13, 2007

The STATE AFFAIRS Committee reports that it received notice of the resignation of Sandra Twiggs, Blackfoot, Idaho, as a member of the Idaho Commission on Human Rights, and she has requested that her reappointment to that position be withdrawn.

McKENZIE, Chairman

The correspondence was ordered filed in the office of the Secretary of the Senate.

The Gubernatorial appointment was returned to the office of the Governor.

March 13, 2007

The AGRICULTURAL AFFAIRS Committee reports out **H 243** and **H 244** with the recommendation that they do pass.

GANNON, Chairman

H 243 and H 244 were filed for second reading.

March 13, 2007

The LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND TAXATION Committee reports out **H 250** with the recommendation that it do pass.

HILL, Chairman

H 250 was filed for second reading.

March 13, 2007

The LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND TAXATION Committee reports out **H 74** with the recommendation that it be referred to the Fourteenth Order of Business for amendment.

HILL, Chairman

There being no objection, **H 74** was referred to the Fourteenth Order of Business, General Calendar.

March 13, 2007

The FINANCE Committee reports out S 1221, S 1222, S 1223, S 1224, S 1225, S 1226, and S 1227 with the recommendation that they do pass.

CAMERON, Chairman

S 1221, S 1222, S 1223, S 1224, S 1225, S 1226, and S 1227 were filed for second reading.

On request by Senator Davis, granted by unanimous consent, the Senate advanced to the Eighth Order of Business.

Messages from the Governor

March 12, 2007

The Honorable James E. Risch President of the Senate Idaho Legislature

Dear Mr. President:

I have the honor to advise you that I have signed today and am transmitting to the Secretary of State the following Senate Bills, to wit:

S 1001, S 1003, S 1012, and S 1084

As Always, Idaho - Esto Perpetua, /s/ C. L. "Butch" Otter Governor

The correspondence was ordered filed in the office of the Secretary of the Senate.

The Senate advanced to the Ninth Order of Business.

Messages from the House

March 13, 2007

Mr. President:

I transmit herewith $\bf H$ 291, $\bf H$ 292, and $\bf H$ 293 which have passed the House.

JUKER, Chief Clerk

H 291, H 292, and H 293 were filed for first reading.

March 13, 2007

Mr. President:

I return herewith S 1186, S 1187, S 1188, S 1189, S 1190, S 1191, and SJM 107 which have passed the House.

JUKER, Chief Clerk

S 1186, S 1187, S 1188, S 1189, S 1190, S 1191, and SJM 107 were referred to the Judiciary and Rules Committee for enrolling.

March 13, 2007

Mr. President:

I transmit herewith Enrolled H 234, H 235, H 236, H 193, H 126, H 127, and H 128 for the signature of the President.

JUKER, Chief Clerk

The President Pro Tempore signed Enrolled H 234, H 235, H 236, H 193, H 126, H 127, and H 128 and ordered them returned to the House.

The Senate advanced to the Tenth Order of Business.

Motions and Resolutions

The President Pro Tempore announced that **HCR 28** was before the Senate for final consideration.

Moved by Senator Cameron, seconded by Senator Stennett, that **HCR 28** be adopted. The question being, "Shall the resolution be adopted?"

Roll call vote was requested by Senators Little, Stegner, and Kelly.

Roll call resulted as follows:

AYES--Andreason, Bair, Bastian, Bilyeu, Broadsword, Burkett, Cameron, Coiner, Corder, Darrington, Davis, Fulcher, Gannon, Geddes, Goedde, Hammond, Heinrich, Hill, Jorgenson, Kelly, Keough, Langhorst, Little, Lodge, Malepeai, McGee, McKague, McKenzie, Pearce, Richardson, Schroeder, Siddoway, Stegner, Stennett, Werk. Total - 35.

Whereupon the President Pro Tempore declared **HCR 28** adopted, title was approved, and the resolution ordered returned to the House.

The President Pro Tempore announced that **HCR 19** was before the Senate for final consideration, the question being, "Shall the resolution be adopted?"

On motion by Senator Goedde, seconded by Senator Burkett, **HCR 19** was adopted by voice vote, title was approved, and the resolution ordered returned to the House.

On request by Senator Little, granted by unanimous consent, **HCR 29** retained its place on the calendar for one legislative day.

The President Pro Tempore announced that **HCR 15** was before the Senate for final consideration.

Moved by Senator Werk, seconded by Senator Lodge, that **HCR 15** be adopted. The question being, "Shall the resolution be adopted?"

Roll call resulted as follows:

AYES--Andreason, Bair, Bastian, Bilyeu, Broadsword, Burkett, Cameron, Coiner, Corder, Darrington, Davis, Fulcher, Gannon, Geddes, Goedde, Hammond, Heinrich, Hill, Jorgenson, Kelly, Keough, Langhorst, Little, Lodge, Malepeai, McGee, McKague, McKenzie, Pearce, Richardson, Schroeder, Siddoway, Stegner, Stennett, Werk. Total - 35.

Whereupon the President Pro Tempore declared **HCR 15** adopted, title was approved, and the resolution ordered returned to the House.

The Senate advanced to the Eleventh Order of Business.

Introduction, First Reading and Reference of Bills, House Petitions, Resolutions, and Memorials

S 1228 BY FINANCE COMMITTEE AN ACT

APPROPRIATING MONEYS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE FOR FISCAL YEAR 2008; LIMITING THE NUMBER OF FULL-TIME EQUIVALENT POSITIONS; DIRECTING THE DISTRIBUTION OF THE FUNDING FOR EMPLOYEE COMPENSATION; DIRECTING ALLOCATION OF SALARY SAVINGS; DIRECTING THE STATE CONTROLLER TO TRANSFER MONEYS TO THE BUSINESS AND JOBS DEVELOPMENT FUND; AND DIRECTING THE STATE CONTROLLER TO TRANSFER MONEYS TO THE FILM AND TELEVISION PRODUCTION REBATE FUND.

- ${\bf S}$ 1228 was introduced, read the first time at length, and referred to the Judiciary and Rules Committee for printing.
- **H 81,** as amended in the Senate, by Revenue and Taxation Committee, was read the first time at length and filed for second reading.
- **H** 56, as amended in the Senate, by Agricultural Affairs Committee, was read the first time at length and filed for second reading.
- **H 28**, as amended in the Senate, by Business Committee, was read the first time at length and filed for second reading.
- **H 171,** as amended in the Senate, by Judiciary, Rules, and Administration Committee, was read the first time at length and filed for second reading.
- **S 1016,** as amended in the House, by Judiciary and Rules Committee, was read the first time at length and filed for second reading.
- **S 1181**, as amended, by State Affairs Committee, was read the first time at length and filed for second reading.
- H 291, H 292, and H 293, by Appropriations Committee, were introduced, read the first time at length, and referred to the Finance Committee.

The Senate advanced to the Twelfth Order of Business.

Second Reading of Bills

- H 207 and H 214, by State Affairs Committee, were read the second time at length and filed for third reading.
- **H 110**, by Business Committee, was read the second time at length and filed for third reading.
- **H 241**, by Revenue and Taxation Committee, was read the second time at length and filed for third reading.

H 159, H 119, as amended, and H 168, by Health and Welfare Committee, were read the second time at length and filed for third reading.

S 1214, S 1215, S 1216, S 1217, S 1218, S 1219, and S 1220, by Finance Committee, were read the second time at length and filed for third reading.

The Senate advanced to the Thirteenth Order of Business.

Third Reading of Bills

President Pro Tempore Geddes called Senator Darrington to the Chair.

H 190 was read the third time at length, section by section, and placed before the Senate for final consideration. Senator Cameron arose as sponsor of the bill and opened the debate.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 39(H), Senator Cameron disclosed a possible conflict of interest under applicable law.

The question being, "Shall the bill pass?"

Roll call resulted as follows:

AYES--Andreason, Bair, Bastian, Bilyeu, Broadsword, Cameron, Darrington, Davis, Fulcher, Gannon, Geddes, Goedde, Hammond, Heinrich, Hill, Jorgenson, Keough, Lodge, McGee, McKague, McKenzie, Pearce, Richardson, Schroeder, Siddoway. Total - 25.

NAYS--Burkett, Coiner, Corder, Kelly, Langhorst, Little, Malepeai, Stegner, Stennett, Werk. Total - 10.

Total - 35.

Whereupon the Acting President declared **H 190** passed, title was approved, and the bill ordered returned to the House.

H 257 was read the third time at length, section by section, and placed before the Senate for final consideration. Senator Bilyeu arose as sponsor of the bill and opened the debate. The question being, "Shall the bill pass?"

Roll call resulted as follows:

AYES--Andreason, Bair, Bastian, Bilyeu, Broadsword, Burkett, Cameron, Coiner, Corder, Darrington, Davis, Fulcher, Gannon, Geddes, Goedde, Hammond, Heinrich, Hill, Jorgenson, Kelly, Keough, Langhorst, Little, Lodge, Malepeai, McGee, McKague, McKenzie, Pearce, Richardson, Schroeder, Siddoway, Stegner, Stennett, Werk. Total - 35.

Whereupon the Acting President declared **H 257** passed, title was approved, and the bill ordered returned to the House.

H 258 was read the third time at length, section by section, and placed before the Senate for final consideration. Senator Fulcher arose as sponsor of the bill and opened the debate. The question being, "Shall the bill pass?"

Pursuant to Senate Rule 39(H), Senator Little disclosed a possible conflict of interest under applicable law.

Roll call resulted as follows:

AYES--Andreason, Bair, Bastian, Bilyeu, Broadsword, Burkett, Cameron, Coiner, Corder, Darrington, Davis, Fulcher, Gannon, Geddes, Goedde, Hammond, Heinrich, Hill, Jorgenson, Kelly, Keough, Langhorst, Little, Lodge, Malepeai, McGee, McKague, McKenzie, Pearce, Richardson, Schroeder, Siddoway, Stegner, Stennett, Werk. Total - 35.

Whereupon the Acting President declared **H 258** passed, title was approved, and the bill ordered returned to the House.

H 259 was read the third time at length, section by section, and placed before the Senate for final consideration. Senator Broadsword arose as sponsor of the bill and opened the debate. The question being, "Shall the bill pass?"

Roll call resulted as follows:

AYES--Andreason, Bair, Bastian, Bilyeu, Broadsword, Cameron, Coiner, Corder, Darrington, Davis, Fulcher, Gannon, Geddes, Goedde, Hammond, Heinrich, Hill, Jorgenson, Kelly, Keough, Langhorst, Little, Malepeai, McGee, McKague, McKenzie, Pearce, Richardson, Schroeder, Stennett, Werk. Total -31.

NAYS--Siddoway. Total - 1.

Absent and excused--Burkett, Lodge, Stegner. Total - 3.

Total - 35.

Whereupon the Acting President declared **H 259** passed, title was approved, and the bill ordered returned to the House.

H 124 was read the third time at length, section by section, and placed before the Senate for final consideration. Senator Hill arose as sponsor of the bill and opened the debate. The question being, "Shall the bill pass?"

Roll call resulted as follows:

AYES--Andreason, Bair, Bastian, Bilyeu, Broadsword, Burkett, Cameron, Coiner, Corder, Darrington, Davis, Fulcher, Gannon, Geddes, Goedde, Hammond, Heinrich, Hill, Jorgenson, Kelly, Keough, Langhorst, Little, Lodge, Malepeai, McGee, McKague, McKenzie, Pearce, Richardson, Schroeder, Siddoway, Stegner, Stennett, Werk. Total - 35.

Whereupon the Acting President declared **H 124** passed, title was approved, and the bill ordered returned to the House.

H 125, as amended, was read the third time at length, section by section, and placed before the Senate for final consideration. Senator Hill arose as sponsor of the bill and opened the debate. The question being, "Shall the bill pass?"

Roll call resulted as follows:

AYES--Andreason, Bair, Bastian, Bilyeu, Broadsword, Burkett, Cameron, Coiner, Corder, Darrington, Davis, Fulcher, Gannon, Geddes, Goedde, Hammond, Heinrich, Hill, Jorgenson, Kelly, Keough, Langhorst, Little, Lodge, Malepeai, McGee, McKague, McKenzie, Pearce, Richardson, Schroeder, Siddoway, Stegner, Stennett, Werk. Total - 35.

Whereupon the Acting President declared **H 125**, as amended, passed, title was approved, and the bill ordered returned to the House.

On motion by Senator Davis, seconded by Senator Stennett, by voice vote the Senate recessed at 12:10 p.m. until the hour of 3:30 p.m. of this day.

RECESS AFTERNOON SESSION

The Senate reconvened at 3:30 p.m., pursuant to recess, President Pro Tempore Geddes presiding.

Roll call showed all members present except Senators Burkett, Cameron, Coiner, Corder, Schroeder, and Stegner, absent and excused.

Prior to recess the Senate was at the Sixth Order of Business, Reports of Standing Committees.

On request by Senator Davis, granted by unanimous consent, the Senate advanced to the Thirteenth Order of Business.

Third Reading of Bills

Senators Burkett, Cameron, Coiner, Schroeder, and Stegner were recorded present at this order of business.

On request by Senator Davis, granted by unanimous consent, **H 166**, as amended, retained its place on the Third Reading Calendar for one legislative day.

H 174, as amended, was read the third time at length, section by section, and placed before the Senate for final consideration. Senator McKague arose as sponsor of the bill and opened the debate. The question being, "Shall the bill pass?"

Roll call resulted as follows:

AYES--Andreason, Bair, Bastian, Bilyeu, Broadsword, Burkett, Cameron, Coiner, Darrington, Fulcher, Gannon, Geddes, Goedde, Hammond, Heinrich, Hill, Jorgenson, Kelly, Keough, Langhorst, Little, Lodge, Malepeai, McGee, McKague, McKenzie, Pearce, Richardson, Schroeder, Siddoway, Stegner, Stennett, Werk. Total - 33.

NAYS--Davis. Total - 1.

Absent and excused--Corder. Total - 1.

Total - 35.

Whereupon the President Pro Tempore Geddes declared **H 174**, as amended, passed, title was approved, and the bill ordered returned to the House.

H 194 was read the third time at length, section by section, and placed before the Senate for final consideration. Senators Jorgenson and Lodge arose as co-sponsors of the bill and opened the debate.

President Pro Tempore called Senator Siddoway to the Chair.

The question being, "Shall the bill pass?"

Roll call resulted as follows:

AYES--Andreason, Bair, Bastian, Bilyeu, Broadsword, Cameron, Coiner, Darrington, Davis, Fulcher, Gannon, Geddes, Goedde, Hammond, Heinrich, Hill, Jorgenson, Kelly, Keough, Langhorst, Little, Lodge, Malepeai, McGee, McKague, McKenzie, Pearce, Richardson, Schroeder, Siddoway, Stegner, Stennett, Werk. Total - 33.

NAYS--None.

Absent and excused--Burkett, Corder. Total - 2.

Total - 35.

Whereupon the Acting President declared **H 194** passed, title was approved, and the bill ordered returned to the House.

H 31 was read the third time at length, section by section, and placed before the Senate for final consideration. Senator Little arose as sponsor of the bill and opened the debate. The question being, "Shall the bill pass?"

Roll call resulted as follows:

AYES--Andreason, Bair, Bastian, Bilyeu, Broadsword, Burkett, Cameron, Coiner, Darrington, Davis, Fulcher, Gannon, Geddes, Goedde, Hammond, Heinrich, Hill, Jorgenson, Kelly, Keough, Langhorst, Little, Lodge, Malepeai, McGee, McKague, McKenzie, Pearce, Richardson, Schroeder, Siddoway, Stegner, Werk. Total - 33.

NAYS--Stennett. Total - 1.

Absent and excused--Corder. Total - 1.

Total - 35.

Whereupon the Acting President declared **H 31** passed, title was approved, and the bill ordered returned to the House.

H 139 was read the third time at length, section by section, and placed before the Senate for final consideration. Senator Goedde arose as sponsor of the bill and opened the debate. The question being, "Shall the bill pass?"

Roll call resulted as follows:

AYES--Andreason, Bair, Bastian, Bilyeu, Broadsword, Burkett, Cameron, Coiner, Darrington, Davis, Fulcher, Gannon, Geddes, Goedde, Hammond, Heinrich, Jorgenson, Kelly, Keough, Langhorst, Little, Lodge, Malepeai, McGee, McKague, McKenzie, Pearce, Richardson, Schroeder, Siddoway, Stegner, Stennett, Werk. Total - 33.

NAYS--None.

Absent and excused--Corder, Hill. Total - 2.

Total - 35.

Whereupon the Acting President declared **H 139** passed, title was approved, and the bill ordered returned to the House.

H 266 was read the third time at length, section by section, and placed before the Senate for final consideration. Senator Bair arose as sponsor of the bill and opened the debate. The question being, "Shall the bill pass?"

Roll call resulted as follows:

AYES--Andreason, Bair, Bastian, Bilyeu, Broadsword, Burkett, Cameron, Coiner, Darrington, Davis, Fulcher, Gannon, Geddes, Goedde, Hammond, Heinrich, Hill, Jorgenson, Kelly, Keough, Langhorst, Little, Lodge, Malepeai, McGee, McKague, McKenzie, Pearce, Richardson, Schroeder, Siddoway, Stegner, Stennett, Werk. Total - 34.

NAYS--None.

Absent and excused--Corder. Total - 1.

Total - 35.

Whereupon the Acting President declared **H 266** passed, title was approved, and the bill ordered returned to the House.

H 269 was read the third time at length, section by section, and placed before the Senate for final consideration. Senator Cameron arose as sponsor of the bill and opened the debate. The question being, "Shall the bill pass?"

Roll call resulted as follows:

AYES--Andreason, Bair, Bastian, Bilyeu, Broadsword, Burkett, Cameron, Coiner, Darrington, Davis, Fulcher, Gannon, Geddes, Goedde, Hammond, Heinrich, Hill, Jorgenson, Kelly, Keough, Langhorst, Little, Lodge, Malepeai, McGee, McKague, McKenzie, Pearce, Richardson, Schroeder, Siddoway, Stegner, Stennett, Werk. Total - 34.

NAYS--None.

Absent and excused--Corder. Total - 1.

Total - 35.

Whereupon the Acting President declared **H 269** passed, title was approved, and the bill ordered returned to the House.

H 218 was read the third time at length, section by section, and placed before the Senate for final consideration. President Pro Tempore Geddes arose as sponsor of the bill and opened the debate. The question being, "Shall the bill pass?"

Roll call resulted as follows:

AYES--Andreason, Bair, Bastian, Bilyeu, Broadsword, Burkett, Cameron, Coiner, Darrington, Davis, Fulcher, Geddes, Goedde, Hammond, Heinrich, Hill, Jorgenson, Keough, Little, Lodge, McGee, McKague, McKenzie, Pearce, Richardson, Schroeder, Siddoway, Stegner. Total - 28.

NAYS--Gannon, Kelly, Langhorst, Malepeai, Stennett, Werk. Total - 6.

Absent and excused--Corder. Total - 1.

Total - 35.

Whereupon the Acting President declared **H 218** passed, title was approved, and the bill ordered returned to the House.

H 277 was read the third time at length, section by section, and placed before the Senate for final consideration. Senator Cameron arose as sponsor of the bill and opened the debate. The question being, "Shall the bill pass?"

Roll call resulted as follows:

AYES--Andreason, Bair, Bastian, Bilyeu, Broadsword, Burkett, Cameron, Coiner, Darrington, Davis, Fulcher, Gannon, Geddes, Goedde, Hammond, Heinrich, Hill, Jorgenson, Kelly, Keough, Langhorst, Little, Lodge, Malepeai, McGee, McKague, McKenzie, Pearce, Richardson, Schroeder, Siddoway, Stegner, Stennett, Werk. Total - 34.

NAYS--None.

Absent and excused--Corder. Total - 1.

Total - 35.

Whereupon the Acting President declared **H 277** passed, title was approved, and the bill ordered returned to the House.

H 278 was read the third time at length, section by section, and placed before the Senate for final consideration. Senator Richardson arose as sponsor of the bill and opened the debate. The question being, "Shall the bill pass?"

Roll call resulted as follows:

AYES--Andreason, Bair, Bastian, Bilyeu, Broadsword, Burkett, Cameron, Coiner, Darrington, Davis, Fulcher, Gannon, Geddes, Goedde, Hammond, Heinrich, Hill, Jorgenson, Kelly, Keough, Langhorst, Little, Lodge, Malepeai, McGee, McKague, McKenzie, Pearce, Richardson, Schroeder, Siddoway, Stegner, Stennett, Werk. Total - 34.

NAYS--None.

Absent and excused--Corder. Total - 1.

Total - 35.

Whereupon the Acting President declared **H 278** passed, title was approved, and the bill ordered returned to the House.

H 279 was read the third time at length, section by section, and placed before the Senate for final consideration. Senator Bastian arose as sponsor of the bill and opened the debate. The question being, "Shall the bill pass?"

Roll call resulted as follows:

AYES--Andreason, Bair, Bastian, Bilyeu, Broadsword, Burkett, Cameron, Coiner, Davis, Goedde, Hammond, Heinrich, Hill, Jorgenson, Kelly, Keough, Langhorst, Little, Lodge, Malepeai, McGee, Schroeder, Stegner, Stennett, Werk. Total - 25.

NAYS--Fulcher, Geddes, McKague, McKenzie, Pearce, Richardson, Siddoway. Total - 7.

Absent and excused--Corder, Darrington, Gannon. Total - 3.

Total - 35.

Whereupon the Acting President declared **H 279** passed, title was approved, and the bill ordered returned to the House.

On request by Senator Davis, granted by unanimous consent, the Senate advanced to the Fifteenth Order of Business.

Miscellaneous Business

On motion by Senator Davis, seconded by Senator Stennett, by voice vote the Senate adjourned at 5:15 p.m. until the hour of 9:30 a.m., Thursday, March 15, 2007.

ROBERT L. GEDDES, President Pro Tempore

Attest: RUSTI HORTON, Assistant Secretary